

**Director of GI Oncology  
UH/Seidman Cancer Center**

*Transformational leadership opportunity with freestanding cancer hospital and comprehensive cancer center*

University Hospitals, one of the nation's leading healthcare systems, is seeking a nationally/internationally recognized solid tumor oncologist to serve as Director of GI Oncology. This is an exciting opportunity for a dynamic and visionary leader to join UH/Seidman Cancer Center, a free-standing cancer hospital and an integral part of the NCI-designated Case Comprehensive Cancer Center.

**Opportunity Highlights**

- Transformational leadership role - help define and build a strategic plan to evolve cancer care and the application of ground-breaking research in our diverse patient population.
- Lead an accomplished multidisciplinary disease team and oversee all aspects of the tripartite mission as it relates to GI Oncology.
- Work closely with world-class scientists on the GI SPORE at the Case Comprehensive Cancer Center - and develop programs to take that science to the bedside.
- The members of the GI program have significant extramural funding including a GI SPORE, Stand Up to Cancer Dream Team grant, BETRNET grant, as well as numerous R01's, R21's and foundation grants.
- UH/Seidman Cancer Center has an extremely productive Clinical Trials Unit (CTU), state of the art phase I clinical research program, and a newly created immune oncology center with the ability to do in-house cell therapy in a 6,000 sq. ft. facility with six iso-7 clean rooms currently used in 17 cell therapy based clinical trials and novel Car-T therapies.
- Startup package and named endowed research chair/professorship available to provide the successful candidate substantial support.
- Academic appointment with Case Western Reserve University.

Located along beautiful Lake Erie and filled with wonderful opportunities for families and individuals alike, Cleveland is a perfect place to call home. As a resident, you'll have access to all you need and more.

**Community Highlights—Cleveland, Ohio**

- A culturally rich and diverse community offering immediate big-city amenities, including an international airport and an array of shopping, dining, entertainment, and professional sports teams.
- A thriving arts scene includes a world-renowned museum of art, the largest performing arts center outside of New York, and one of the top five symphony orchestras in the world.
- An abundance of outdoor recreation, including hiking, lakefront activities, and golfing.
- Housing is available in urban or suburban locations with multiple independent schools and highly ranked public schools, including a challenging international baccalaureate program.

For confidential and direct inquiries, please forward your curriculum vitae to Kendra Thompson, Managing Consultant, Department of Academics, at [Kendra.thompson@merrithawkins.com](mailto:Kendra.thompson@merrithawkins.com) or by calling 469-524-1509 (office).

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